

benefit of said estate, and upon the approval of the application for said transfer or assignment, the said license shall be considered reinstated upon the payment of the balance of the license fee which might be due to the expiration of the license year. If the business of the licensee be not continued as above provided, or if the said license be not transferred or assigned, his executors or administrators shall be authorized to apply for and obtain any refund to which the deceased would have been entitled if his license had been surrendered for cancellation upon the date of his death. No Class E, [or] Class F or Class G license shall expire or become inoperative because of the death and/or incompetency of one or more, but less than all, of the persons to whom it is issued for a company. If all of the persons to whom it is so issued shall die and/or become incompetent during its term, such license shall expire ten days thereafter, but, upon application within such ten days, accompanied by a fee payment of \$1.00 by a person on behalf of such company, the Comptroller shall issue a new license replacing, and continuing the privileges of, such license to the end of the license year.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1963.

Approved April 17, 1963.

CHAPTER 249

(Senate Bill 284)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 66(a) of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Alcoholic Beverages", sub-title "Procedure For Issue of Licenses", amending the laws concerning pro rata license fees for certain alcoholic beverage licenses issued for a period of less than one year.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 66(a) of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Alcoholic Beverages", sub-title "Procedure For Issue of Licenses", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

66.

(a) The fee for every license issued for a period of less than one year (except temporary or special licenses) shall be [calculated pro rata from the date of issue until April 30th next after the date of issue, both inclusive] *subject to the annual fee if issued during the first three months of the license year, three-fourths of the annual fee if issued during the second quarter of the license year, one-half of the annual fee if issued during the third quarter of the license year and one-fourth of the annual license fee if issued during the fourth quarter of the license year.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1963.

Approved April 17, 1963.